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RE: Cedar City Operations
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Iron County, Utah

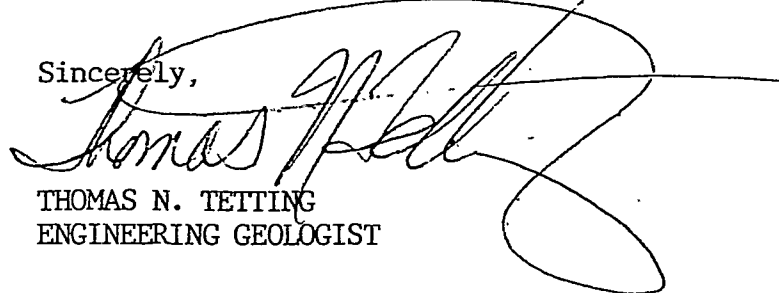
Dear Mr. Jones:

I'm sorry to have missed you on my last inspection of the minesite. I was, however, happy to have met and talked with Marlowe Stone while he accompanied me around the operations. I would like to commend you for your achievements with the reclaimed areas I visited. It appears that the success rate of revegetation varies considerably. Certain places such as the McCahill-Thompson Alluvium and the tailings pond appear quite good while some of the low grade areas are still struggling. Overall, I was impressed by the difference and improvement from last year when I toured the site with you in April.

I mentioned to Marlowe that your usual excellent documentation of efforts may be necessary to substantiate claims that revegetated mine roads are being used by local traffic. Any other problem areas may be treated similarly with a summarization of the type and number of efforts made to initiate adequate revegetation.

Your reclamation achievements should serve as examples for the area of what diligent effort may accomplish. If I may be of any future help, please call me.

Sincerely,



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ENGINEERING GEOLOGIST

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